News From Winners.

One of the most attractive features of our contests is the news from winners. Most of our subscribers and, therefore most of our winners, have mighty interesting stories to tell, and a contest seems to bring them out. Many a strange adventure and experience will be found narrated in these columns from week to

Comrade James M. Fraizer, Belleville N. J., winner, reports as follows: "First I want to express my surprise and pleasure at finding my name among the win ners. Doubt if I would be any better pleased if the prize had been larger, and I am glad to divide my prize with Mr. James Mercle, of Brown's Mills, Minn.

"May his shadow never grow shorter; I'm sure it hadn't orter.

"And I seriously congratulate and com pliment The National Tribune for its enterprise in giving these contests. They are honest contests-that lifts them out of the common run of such things.

"I was born in Indiana, 1839. Went West to Kansas, 1859. When the war





and of the Presbyterian Church. At recent one."

The San Antonio (Tex.) papers speak very complimentary of Lieut. Col. John L. Clem, who is the Chief Quartermaster of Clem, who is the Chief Quartermaster of Crystal, Minn., has been looking over his control of Texas, and look for Crystal, Minn., has been looking over his control of Texas.

PERSONAL.

who is now \$4 years oid, and claims to be brother of Gen. Albert Sidney Johnston, C. S. A., and a cousin of Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, C. S. A., and who had been in the Union army during the war, serving as an Adjutant-General. The committee found that the old gentleman was telling for re-election, as his term expires March 4, 1905. The comrades will take a lively

Senator Nathan B. Scott, of West Vir-



Comrade Charles S. Gay, Postmaster at

WILLIAM S. SETTLE.

present I am a Notary Public, and conduct a real estate, insurance and claim Saranac Lake, N. Y., reports as follows:



vember, 1865. Also served seven months 1862, at the battle of Shiloh; was in bat-in Co. A. 188th. Pa. Was present at the of Stone River Chickamanga, Look-very creditable to our State. The capital in Co. A, 188th Pa. Was present at tles of Stone River, Chickamauga, Lookevacuation of Richmond; was one of out Mountain, Mission Ridge, Atlanta-in guards over Jeff Davis at Fortress Mon-roe, from May to November, 1865. In three years' service. After the war I fol-\$1,000, went to a Brunswick (Md.) man, civil life I have held the offices of Prolowed farming, then the lumber business, thonotary and Justice of the Peace. I and for the last 12 years the grocery busiam a member of the G. A. R., I. O. O. F., ness. The photo I send is not a very

who guessed within 5, and the third, \$500, to an Ohio man, whose guess came

within 17 of the actual receipts. The en

Past Commander H. C. Loomis, of the Department of Kansas, is a wealthy man, and quite generous with his money wherever the interests of the Order are concerned. It is claimed that it cost him from \$5,000 to \$8,000 for his year as Commander. He bore the burden of the splendid exhibition which Kansas made army as drummer when 10 years of age in the 22d Mich., and was promoted by all the commander ways.

Redding Post, of Redding, Cal., having learned that there was an old gentleman named Geo. W. Johnston, in the Shasta and claimed to be a soldier of the Union army, appointed a committee to investigate the matter. They found the man, who is now \$4 years oil, and claims to be a brother of Gen. Albert Sidney Johnston.

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INDIANA W.R.C.

Department Convention at Anderson—Offi-cors' Reports Seew Progress in Every Line. EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: The 20th Annual Convention of the Department of Indiana, W. Rate., met in the First Christian Church, in Anderson, Ind., May 12, and was called to order prompt'y at 9 a. m., by the Department President, Etta E. Houk.

port, from which were gleaned many i ems of interest, but space forbids the enumeration of but few. We note that the Order has over 6,000 members in Indiana. The has over 6,000 members in Indiana. The Department President had written 1,973 Jutant.

James H. Franklin Post, 50, Knoxville, James H. Department President had written 1,973 was revoked, but the Corps was again in stituted by order of the National President on May 5, 1903. Three Corps are reported as weak, but the balance are in Adjutant. fine condition. The condition of the finances of the Department is better than for several years. When the officers of 1902 took their positions there was in the treasury \$132.81, with a debt to the G. A. R. of \$407.18. This debt was paid, as were all other expenses, and this administration will turn over to the incoming one the sum of \$428.11.

ter city, and her kindness, her cordiality, her munificent courtesies will ever be re-membered by all who were in attendance. prize was secured by a druggist in Ainsworth, Nebr., who guessed within \$4 of

tire contest has been very creditable to The National Tribune."

Army Invalid: Original, 6: Increase, 300; reissue, 18; restoration, 5: renewal, 15; supplemental, 4; duplicate, 14; accrued, 136. Tötal, 408.

Army Widows, etc. Original, 95; Increase, 1; reissue, 3; renewal, 55; duplicate, 4; accrued, 3. Total, 161.

Navy invalids: Ancrease, 4; reissue, 1; renewal, 1; duplicate, 1. Total, 7.

Army Invalids twar with Spain: Original, 80; increase, 11; reissue, 1; accrued, 3. Total, 95.

Army Widows, etc. (war with Spain): Original, 57.

Navy Invalids (war with Spain): Original, 1.

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Regular Army Invalids: Original, 2; increase, 1.

Total, 3.

iackknife, 40 cents; razors, 50 cents; strops, 34 cents; box, shaving, 54 cents; trotal, 3. Total, 3. Total, 3. Total, 3. Total, 3. Strops, 34 cents; box, shaving, 10 cents; scrub brushes, 22 cents; blacking brushes, 30 cents.

Who Was the Engineer?

Editor National Tribune: I wish to

SERVICE PENSION.

Views of Comrades Interested in the

Proposed Legislation.

POSTS INDORSING THE \$12 BILL. The National Tribune has received copies of resolutions indorsing the \$12 service pension bill from the following Posts:
Laban Tartar Post, 92, Faubush, Ky. H. Gase, Commander; G. P. Myers, Adjutant;
J. C. Weddle, Quartermaster.
Carlton Baer Post, 516, Germantown, O. Phil Heurs, Adjutant The President then read her annual re-

Col. Lytic Post, 240, Albion, Pa. W. J. Britton, Adjutant. Richard Borden Post, 46, Fall River, Mass. John Gilbert, Commander; F. H. Channell, Adjutant.

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Marble St., Springfield, Mass.

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M. Josie Nilson, Press Correspendent, Union City, Ind.

While the sentiment of a larger part of those writing has been favorable to the \$12 cm.

Mrs. Ella E. West, Department President, from Headquarters, 727 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., has issued General Order, No. 4, announcing that the 10th Annual Convention of the New York Ladies of the G. A. R. will convene at Niagara Falls, June 17, and remain in session three days.

A Terrible Fire at Laconia, N. H.

Dr. Philip Z. Hart, 93 Oak street, Laconia, N. H., writes us of the terrible fire which almost destroyed their little city of \$200. Co. 23d Ky. Greenville, Fex. \$12 in addition to disability pension; L. R. Service pension in addition to disability pension; L. S. Service pension in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Service pension in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Service pension in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Service pension in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition to disability pension; L. T. Fa., \$10 in addition Geo. H. Ingram, 2d N. Y. Cav. (Harris Light), Thempsonville, Conn., \$8 service pension with addition of one cent per month for each day of service, both to the soldier and his widow; E. Moyer, Co. B. 202d Pa., Port Royal, Pa., \$12 in addition to disability pension; W. H. Worden, Marion, Ind., \$12 over and above disability pension: Alonzo D. Holcomb, Co. G., 64th Ohio, New Lexington, Ohio, \$30 service pension; Joel Cox, Co. D., 99th Ill. Wood, Okla., \$12 service pension in addition to disability pension; M. H. Sweet, Sergeant, Co. A, 2d Iowa, Washington, Iowa, pension based on disability and as an Adjutant-General. The committee found that the old gentleman was telling a true story, and they tried to get him to go to the Soldiers' Home, but he refused to accept even National charity. He said, to accept even National charity. He said fishful friend to them.

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EDITOR NATIONAL TRIBUNE: I wish to inquire through your columns the name of the engineer who ran the engine from the station, Big Sandy, Ga, to a railroad was the found of the engineer who ran the engine from the station, Big Sandy, Ga, to a railroad was the final feat of the engineer. S. Total, 38.

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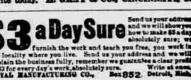














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